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		<b>First Inventor</b> Hisao Koga
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Inventor: Hisao Koga, Nobutaka Kodama and Taisuke Konishi

For: COMMUNICATION APPARATUS

20 sheets of informal drawings are included.

An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. is included along with a Recordation Form Cover Sheet. Please record and return the assignment to the undersigned.

Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 on the basis of the following foreign application:

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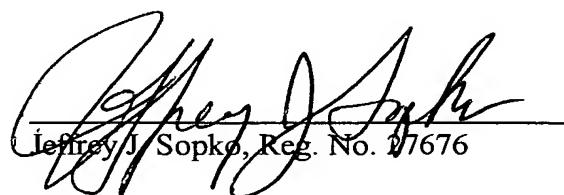
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